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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Events of Interest From Washington.

By J. E. Jones.

REINDEER A COMING FOOD.

Some of the big packing house people ought to try and get hold of Secretary Lane of the Interior Department, as he is a great booster for one of the articles of food in which his little province of Alaska specializes. Lane said two years ago that the people ought to begin eating reindeer meat, and he has kept on saying so. Reindeer is not necessarily an exclusive necessity for Santa Claus, but the animal goes out by itself and picks its living from under the snow—and gets fat at the job. Inasmuch as reindeer are multiplying beyond the needs of the Alaskans Mr. Lane asserts that the people of the United States should begin to eat them in place of other meats. In a recent statement he declares that the meat of the reindeer is of excellent quality and "possesses a flavor as fine almost as that of venison."

"NAME GIVES WINGS TO HIS WORDS."

Admiral Peary went up to the North Pole, and "brought it home" to his people. Now, four years later, he has made a speech in which he predicts great territorial expansion within the next hundred years. Why not—that is in his line? Secretary Bryan has officially reproved Peary for rushing the imperial game, and in his comment the Secretary of State says that Peary's "name gives wings to his words." Otherwise, Mr. Bryan says, the speech would have been foolish. All of which may, or may not be so; but Bryan as the chief can say such things about Peary—and Peary can not yell back that "Bryan is handing out a gold brick." That kind of talk was all right for the case of Doctor Cook, but when it comes to Bryan, then rank must be respected, if one is to hold a job like that of Admiral.

REVEREND STREETS.

Splendid streets are the pride of Washington, and the work of further improvement is in progress. Under a new contract 500 men have just been given employment by a paving company which has started work under its contract for the resurfacing of streets in the District of Columbia. An appropriation for \$539,000 is available for the work which will continue steadily until next December.

PARKING AUTOMOBILES.

Naturally the National Capital City is expected to get the pace in many respects, and one of the new schemes in the parking of automobiles in the busy business district. Where to place automobiles in the business district is a problem confronting all large cities. The Washington Post says that the city is trying a new plan in the wide streets of which the city fortunately has many. A space eighteen feet wide, midway between the curb and designated as a parking place for automobiles. The space has been marked by white lines painted on the asphalt, and the new parking area is expected to be of much convenience to motorists in the downtown business section.

VILLA ON THE WANE.

Militarism has come and gone in Mexico, and the "great change" of Washington appears to be in a bad way in Mexico. Kinsmen from the present have been sent out there, with the Villa, and whatever the may be in the Villa, the Villa has always kept his position, and shows profound respect for the United States government. Carranza is evidently through with anti-American, and the United States has been really treated at his hands. His attitude has been as insolent as was that of Huerta, and in very few instances has Washington been able to gain entrance to its dealings with him. But perhaps there will be other revolutions, and other leaders in Mexico who will be less troublesome.

LIKE A LITTLE SNOW BALL.

In the beginning the currency of the Currency and the Higher Office of the Riggs National Bank rolled up a little snowball of trouble, and as it pushed it along it became a little larger. Finally it got away from them, and started down hill, and now it has become a monster of tremendous size, and it keeps getting larger. The Riggs asks for the "moral support" of the 7,500 national banks in the country, and its officers claim that its fight is of general importance to all the national banks. The Treasury Department pulled the Department of Justice into the fight, and then the two branches

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

Important Changes to be Tried Out at Bethel

With the change of time on the Grand Trunk Railway on May 2 another important change, as far as Bethel is concerned, will be made. Beginning Monday, all way freights will have their terminal at Bethel station. Bethel is nearly half way between Island Pond and Portland and the G. T. R. people have it figured out that they can save considerable money by having the terminal at Bethel instead of Gorham. The scheme will be tried out this summer and if found practical the necessary changes will be made around the station.

REPORTS OF GIRLS' CONFERENCE.

On last Sunday evening in the Congregational Church the reports of the Girls' Conference, held in Portland, April 9-11, were given by the delegates who attended it, representing the Methodist and Congregational Churches and the Young Women's Christian Association of the Academy. The service began by the singing of the hymn, "Faith of Our Fathers," the reading by Miss Edith Somerville of the Scripture, Ju. 7:17; XVII:3, and a prayer by Mrs. Curtis. After this the girls, presided over by Miss Gladys Davis, president of the Gould's Y. W. C. A., gave in an extremely interesting and convincing way their impressions of the conference. Miss Anna, Miss Bailey and Miss Chapman told of the Friday evening service held in the Congress Square Church, which was interesting to our girls because they were able to hear again Miss Helen Hanson of Colby College, who visited the Y. W. C. A. a year ago.

The singing of the hymn, "I Love To Tell The Story," was next on the program, after which reports of the Saturday morning session were given by Miss Kimball, Miss M. E. Herrick, Miss Cole, Miss Bartlett and Mrs. Cummings. This meeting, like that of Friday evening, appealed to Bethel girls since they heard again Miss Helen Hanson, National Field Secretary, who spoke to them here last Spring. A violin solo by Miss Margaret L. Heikick gave much pleasure.

The night singing and attractive program which the girls were entertained with on Saturday afternoon was given by Miss Blanche Herrick, Miss Edith Somerville and Miss Kimball. The girls of the Bethel Y. W. C. A. were very much interested in the conference, and the new parking area is expected to be of much convenience to motorists in the downtown business section.

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HONEST AND CLEAN.

If a wholesome, honest, cleanly play that alternates games and laughter with pathos and tragedy is what the boys want, they will go and see "The Cowboy and the Girl" at the Grand Trunk Theatre, May 1. Mrs. Edith Somerville plays the leading role, and it is said to be entirely different from any other play and all entertaining. It gives an honest story of wholesome people, brought to life with great human interest. There are some of the qualities that are pleasing to the immature audience everywhere. Each of the four acts is lavishly mounted with special scenery. The company is a large and competent one. A superb Concert Band and Orchestra is also carried with this attraction.

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CHAPMAN CONCERT

Bethel People to Hear Morgana May 15

The Chapman Concert is now an assured fact in Bethel, and will surely be the musical event of the season, a veritable May Festival. Miss Nina Morgana needs no introduction to the people of Maine, and those who heard her at the last Festival, or at any of the concerts in March, realize what a wonderful treat they have in store for them, as she is acknowledged by all critics and artists as the most wonderful coloratura singer living, for her age, twenty-two. None of the highest priced artists have ever created more enthusiasm than she. Eight out of the fourteen houses where she played in March in this state, were sold out three days in advance of the concert. Miss Morgana will be assisted by Miss Florence Austin, the wonderful New York Violinist, who created a furore at the Festival last year. She is acknowledged as one of the finest violinists we have in America, and her work is of the highest order. She has appeared with the leading orchestras of this country, and it will be a wonderful treat to have an artist of her high standing with us in May. Mr. Arthur Johnson, the tenor, has a voice of a most beautiful quality, and is a native of Belfast, Maine. Mr. Chapman will preside at the piano, and his accompaniments are a real concert in themselves. Tickets will be at popular prices, notwithstanding the greatest attraction ever brought to Bethel, and will go on sale one week before the concert. Secure your seats at once, and avoid the rush the night of the concert.

MAINE STATE EXPOSITION.

From June 7 to 19, inclusive, 1915, there will be held in Portland, Maine, a comprehensive exhibit of the manufactured products and natural resources of the State. Public spirited citizens of Portland have recently created at a cost exceeding \$100,000 an Exposition Building in the city, in place of the old building under the foot of Mt. Adams, and it is expected that the State will be benefited by the exposition, and the people will be benefited by the exposition.

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GOULD'S ACADEMY

Miss Whitmore was in Portland, Saturday and Sunday.

Eva Bartlett spent the week end with friends in Albany.

Grace Dearden is detained at home this week on account of illness.

Mid-term examinations are due Thursday and Friday of this week.

Harris Hamlin and Virgil Wight spent Saturday and Sunday in Milan, N. H.

Jennie Bean has returned to school after an absence of one week on account of illness.

Marion Frost, who has been absent for two weeks on account of illness, has returned to school.

Next Saturday we play base ball with Mechanic Falls High School. The game is to be played at Mechanic Falls.

A very interesting game of base ball was played between Gould's and Bethel town team, Saturday, April 24, on the Alumni Field. There is some doubt about the score, but both teams have agreed to call it a tie 8 to 8. The Gould's team played much better than a week ago, while the Town team was not as strong. Bean pitched the entire game for Gould's and was steady at all times and would have won with better support in the field. The top of the Gould's batting order hit the ball hard and often, showing that they are getting their batting eyes. Next Saturday Gould's will go to Mechanic Falls to play their first scheduled game. The boys all have the right spirit and are determined to show their opponents that Gould's is still to be reckoned with when it comes to baseball. The lineup for Saturday's game was as follows:

Gould's. Bethel.
Young, ss. Thurston.
Chapman, 2b. Smith.
Herrick, 3b. Howe.
Cole, 1b. Carter.
Hutchins, rf. Young.
Herrick, cf. Young.
Herrick, lf. Young.
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BETHEL MEN'S CLUB.

At the monthly club held last night at the Hotel, the following program was given:

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GRANGE NEWS

BETHEL GRANGE. Bethel Grange held their regular meeting last Thursday evening. There was a large number present. All the officers were present with the exception of the secretary. There were three applications for membership, and it is whispered there will be many more in the near future. After the business session the literary program was as follows:

Opening Song, Grange Choir.
Roll Call, Clippings, Quotations.
Question: If the average boy had his chance which would he choose, an automobile or a college education? Opened by Byron Cummings and discussed by Rev. Mr. Little.

Song, "Kind Words," Mrs. Taylor.
Paper: The Mill Tree, Mrs. Kendall.

Piano Solo, Gladys Spearin.
Question: How can we enhance the comforts and attractions of our homes? Rev. Mr. Little.

Closing Piece, Bernice Spearin.
Bethel Grange held a special meeting last Friday evening, called to do honor to our State Lecturer, C. O. Partridge, of Bowdoinham. We had a very short program as follows:

Roll Call, Clippings, Quotations.
Piano Solo, Gladys Spearin.

The time was given to our Lecturer. His theme was progressive and he commented the grange on the good work they were doing. His address was very instructive and helped us to resolve then and there to all work together for the good of the order and the principles for which it stands pledged.

Then there was a duet by Mrs. Spearin and Mrs. Kendall.

Closing Piece, "America."

Our three Granges served delicious refreshments and we enjoyed a social hour and went home feeling the evening had been very successfully passed. The next Pomona meeting will be at West Bethel next Tuesday.

MOUNTAIN VIEW GRANGE.

Mt. View Grange, No. 437, of Gilead held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, April 20. There were two vacancies, the officers having moved to Bethel, the chairs were filled in due form. The program was well taken up, all subjects discussed in an interesting manner. Mrs. Maria Wilson, a visitor from Waterville Grange, addressed the Grange with a few pleasing remarks. Special mention in many of the names with which A. P. Bryant, Grange Master, handled the question: "Do farmers get as much pleasure out of life as their circumstances warrant?" Mrs. Curtis Wright, A. H. Smith, P. A. Wright also gave some interesting points from which we take our next meeting program: "Organize for the betterment of our community." Mr. Davis, of the Grange of Waterville, gave a paper on "The Grange and the Farmer." The attention was largely on the Grange and the Farmer. The meeting was very successful. We had our visiting members.

LONG MOUNTAIN GRANGE.

Long Mt. Grange No. 111 held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, April 20. There were two vacancies, the officers having moved to Bethel, the chairs were filled in due form. The program was well taken up, all subjects discussed in an interesting manner. Mrs. Maria Wilson, a visitor from Waterville Grange, addressed the Grange with a few pleasing remarks. Special mention in many of the names with which A. P. Bryant, Grange Master, handled the question: "Do farmers get as much pleasure out of life as their circumstances warrant?" Mrs. Curtis Wright, A. H. Smith, P. A. Wright also gave some interesting points from which we take our next meeting program: "Organize for the betterment of our community." Mr. Davis, of the Grange of Waterville, gave a paper on "The Grange and the Farmer." The attention was largely on the Grange and the Farmer. The meeting was very successful. We had our visiting members.

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 110, held its regular meeting, Tuesday evening, April 20. Officers present: gate keeper, cress, treasurer. There were nearly two members present. Plans were made for Pomona, which will be May 4th.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Mrs. R. W. Kimball is visiting relatives in Somers, Me.
Mrs. Farrington of Portland is visiting Miss Lucy Fox.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clough are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Sunday, April 25th.
News has been received of the death of Emily Tuttle Hutterfield of Bangor, daughter of the late Levi and Agnes Russell Tuttle.

Mrs. Harris White and two children who have been spending the winter with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis, returned to Bethel, Me., Wednesday.

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines, 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

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NOTICE.

Dr. Kirk of Lewiston will be in Bethel, Thursday, April 29. Anyone wishing veterinary work done will please notify Mr. L. A. Hall.

WANTED—Ladies' and gentlemen's

parsons hats for cleaning, reblocking, etc., first class work. Style sheet sent free. Address: MURPHY, Hatter and Furrier, Lewiston, Maine.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of Riverside Cemetery Association will be held at the Town Clerk's office, Saturday, May 1, 1915, at two P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting. By order of President, H. M. Upton, Secretary.

WANTED—AD-ORCE

Man to look after the reliable fruit trees and ornamentals. Whole or part time. Good pay. Attention pay to better. Haver Chase Co., Auburn, Me.

BICYCLE CONTEST.

The team have started in good earnest and it will not be long before one of the boys will win the prize. I hope that it will be a boy who has been in the contest for some time. This is no contest for which one wins and the others lose. 500 points with a bicycle and every boy that gets 500 points will receive one.

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NEW HOUSE DRESSES

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We have an unusually large and varied line of House Dresses for Spring and Summer. The styles are very attractive, and the materials are far superior to those of any other season. Here is a description of only a few; to fully appreciate these new dresses you ought to see them.

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HOUSE DRESSES FOR \$1.50

DRESSES—Made of the very best quality Percale in medium colors of blue, gray and lavender, front neatly trimmed with loops and pearl buttons, front of waist cut in fancy shape with piping, flat low collar and cuffs with pipings.

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We are showing a splendid line of Serins and Marquisettes for curtains. Over twenty-five new patterns in white, cream and color, very pretty border of drawn work. No better time to select them than now, while the assortment is large.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mr. W. J. Wheeler of So. Paris was a business visitor in town, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rowe were in Portland the first of the week.

Mr. Venie Brown has moved into Mr. I. S. Morrill's rent on Mill Hill.

The Methodist parsonage has been receiving needed repairs.

Mr. Robert Mills of Locke's Mills spent Sunday at Mr. E. P. Brown's.

Mrs. Elmer Allen was a guest of her mother at Cumberland a few days last week.

Mr. A. Van Den Kerkhoven went to Boston the first of the week on business.

The regular meeting of the Relief Corps will be held Wednesday evening, April 29.

Miss Alice Kimball was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. John Howe, at East Bethel.

Mr. C. E. Neal went to his home in Auburn, Monday, to spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. Clara Howe of Hanover was a guest of her son, Mr. Sidney Howe, one day last week.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. A. F. Copeland, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bartlett were in Lewiston, Saturday, for the treatment of Mrs. Bartlett's eyes.

Mrs. Henry Austin and son, Charles, were week end guests of Mrs. Austin's father at Shelburne, N. H.

Mrs. Lucy Folsom returned Saturday from Massachusetts, where she has been spending the winter.

The new electric lights were put in last Friday. The increased light adds materially to our village at night.

Bethel people are pleased that Rev. T. C. Chapman will remain as pastor of the M. B. Church for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Richardson have returned from Pinchur, N. C., and are erecting a cottage at Songo Pond.

Mr. Guy Morgan has moved to Hebron, where he has a position as electrical engineer at the Hebron sanatorium.

The Ladies' Circle of the Universalist Church are planning on an entertainment to be given in O'Brien Hall, May 19th.

Miss Ruth Shepard of Framingham, Mass., and Miss Norma Frost of Gorham, N. H., were week end guests of Mrs. Sidney Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Springer and Mr. H. P. Thurston were in Portland last week and returned with Mr. Springer's new Oakland touring car.

The reception to be given by Mrs. J. G. Gehring to the Alumni Social Club will be on May 6 instead of April 29 as given out at the last meeting.

The Neal Brothers have sold out their fruit store to Mrs. Wallace Clark who took possession Monday. Mrs. Clark will run a tea room in connection with the store.

Among those who attended the Methodist Conference at Waterville last week were: Rev. T. C. Chapman, Mrs. Davis Lovejoy and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Adams.

The funeral of Mr. Alva Coolidge, who died suddenly on Monday, April 26, was held at Upton, Wednesday at 2 P. M. Rev. Mr. Little of Bethel attended the service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kilborn, who have been spending the winter in Portland, arrived Monday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Park. They expect to open their cottage at Songo Pond the last of the week.

Bethel Grange will give an entertainment in their hall, Thursday evening, May 6. Mrs. John Wood of South Paris, who comes very highly recommended, will be the reader. A very interesting program has been prepared.

Rev. Theodore Baker and Arthur L. Barry have joined Troop 2 of the Boy Scouts of Bethel. This troop now numbers fifteen and will be represented at the Boys' Conference at Norway by Lawrence Kimball and Harold Hart.

Mr. Herman Mason was in Norway, Saturday.

Mr. Harry Coolidge of Upton was in town, Tuesday.

Are you getting ready for Clean-Up Week, May 3 to 8?

Mr. F. E. Parrington has purchased a new Ford touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baker returned from Lewiston, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterkin went to Canton, Saturday, for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore are visiting relatives at North Lovell for a few days.

Mrs. Isaac Wardwell and daughter, Annie, visited at Dr. J. A. Twaddle's, Friday.

Miss Etta Bean of East Bethel was a guest of Mrs. J. S. Hutchins the first of the week.

Last Saturday, Rev. Mr. Little went to Canton to attend the funeral of Mr. Chas. W. Walker.

Mrs. Augustus Newell and Mr. Washington Newell of Gilsum were in Bethel on business, Friday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet at the Vestry, Thursday afternoon at the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Brown are soon to occupy the rent recently vacated by Mr. Guy Morgan on Mechanic street.

Miss Arlene Saunders came to Bethel, Sunday, and will spend the short Portland High School recess with her grandparents.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. F. S. Chandler, Tuesday P. M., May 4, at three o'clock.

Mr. Ceylon Rowe remains about the same. No operation has been performed yet and it is hoped that he will be able to avoid one.

Mrs. O'Day of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Perley Wing of Bryant's Pond were in town, Monday, to attend the funeral of little Robert Morgan.

The Universalist Sunday School will be represented at the Boys' Conference at Norway the last of this week by the pastor and one or more delegates.

Dr. Hiram Abbott of Ramford Point was calling on friends in town, Monday. Although the Doctor will be eighty years old in June he seems as hale and hearty as a man many years younger.

Little Robert Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Morgan died Friday morning of pneumonia. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Rev. T. C. Chapman officiating. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Morgan.

A special town meeting was held last Saturday afternoon to see if the town would vote to have schools at the Middle Intervale and Swan's Hill districts. There seemed to be no objection to the Middle Intervale school and it was voted to have a school there. The question of the meeting having been properly called was raised and the above vote will depend upon the legality of the meeting unless the School Committee are willing to take the chance.

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There's a paint education in this advertisement. Buy by the gal, not gallon. Buy by the pint, not pint. That's the job. The price of paint is so much a gal. That can't be helped, but amounts to nothing.

The price of painting is so much a day, that can't be helped, but amounts to nothing. Put them together. How can you do it? You've got to lose perhaps half of your money.

Devoe, 10 gallons enough for the average job at an average price, 15. Now reckon your costs. Count labor a day for a gallon. Devoe 10 days; the other 15.

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Fine muslin, hamburg trimmed. 95c.

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Good quality of materials, well made, 25c and 50c.

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Hemstitched ruffle, 12 1-2c. Hamburg ruffle, 25c.

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Both long sleeved, high neck and short sleeve, low neck, muslin and ripplette, 65c to \$1.50.

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WATCH FOR THE PARADE

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Bethel Grange will hold a social dance in their hall, Thursday evening, April 29.

The remains of Mrs. Fannie Patterson, daughter of the late Edward Clark, were brought to Bethel from Massachusetts, Tuesday, and were buried in Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Irving Clark met with a painful accident Tuesday morning while splitting wood. His double bitted axe caught in the clothesline and fell cutting his face so that ten stitches had to be taken.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE



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Yours very truly,
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There are some men and women whose company we are all best. All the best stops in are drawn out by their and we find a music in our there before.—H. Drummond

PROTEIN IN THE

Frances R. Freeman, Assoc.
Lessor of Home Economics
ers' Week Course, Orono

Our bodies are very much machine, both must be kept pair and supplied with fuel to derive their power or energy. A food is any substance which build new tissue or repair tissue and also yield this muscular and nervous activity.

All foods are made up more of the five constituent food principles. These are carbohydrates, (sugar and starch) and mineral matter. Builders are the protein, mineral and water. The energy are fats, carbohydrates and protein.

Protein is derived from both animal and vegetable foods. The animal as meat, fish, poultry, milk, eggs offer the largest source much may well be derived vegetable foods, as the dried cereals, and nuts. The purest protein is the white of egg, or are casein or curd from milk, muscle fibre from meat and from wheat. Protein is the important food principle. It is essential to the body structure forms the basis for all the muscle also the most expensive item in diet.

The body must have a amount of protein per day, w the adult in health is fairly c. Authorities differ somewhat amount but there is no doubt a hundred and eighteen grams or approximately one-fourth p sufficient for the average per gaged in muscular work. The that people doing heavy muscle needed large amounts of protein. Meat is actually needed in the the principle energy producers, fats and carbohydrates. Large of protein are responsible for a deal of ill health. Meat is the expensive source of protein and less is needed in the diet of the age American family. It is not easy to serve meat three times Meat served once a day, supplied by other protein foods is sufficient keep the body of the healthful in good condition. The cheaper of meat may well be utilized. are just as nutritious as the better and cost a great deal less, but long, slow cooking.

Milk is not a beverage but a food. It has been shown that selling from seven or eight c quarts is cheaper source of protein any of the animal food except a very cheap meat and salt fish. milk usually costs less than ha much as whole milk and furnishes four times as cheaply as beef fat which it lacks may readily be plied by other foods.

Eggs should hold a place prominent with milk. They are easily digested and thoroughly abet by the body. It is true economy the family of very moderate means serve fresh eggs one meal a day place of meat.

Dried legumes are the cheap source of protein and pound per yield larger amounts of protein any other food, and there is no dic in which they may not profitably a place.

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PROTEIN IN THE DIET.

Frances R. Freeman, Associate Professor of Home Economics, Farmers' Week Course, Orono, Me.

Our bodies are very much like any machine, both must be kept in good repair and supplied with fuel from which to derive their power or energy. So a food is any substance which will build new tissue or repair worn-out tissue and also yield this energy for muscular and nervous activities.

All foods are made up of one or more of the five constituents called food principles. These are protein, fat, carbohydrates, (sugar and starch) water and mineral matter. The tissue builders are the protein, mineral matter and water. The energy producers are fats, carbohydrates and proteins.

Protein is derived from both animal and vegetable foods. The animal foods as meat, fish, poultry, milk, cheese and eggs offer the largest source although much may well be derived from the vegetable foods, as the dried legumes, cereals, and nuts. The purest form of protein is the white of egg, other types are casein or curd from milk, the lean muscle fibre from meat and gluten from wheat. Protein is the most important food principle. It is absolutely essential to the body-structure and forms the basis for all the muscles. It is also the most expensive item in our diet.

The body must have a definite amount of protein per day, which for the adult in health is fairly constant. Authorities differ somewhat upon this amount but there is no doubt that one hundred and eighteen grams per day or approximately one-fourth pound is sufficient for the average person engaged in muscular work. The old idea that people doing heavy muscular work needed large amounts of protein, especially meats has been disproven. What is actually needed is more of the principle energy producers, namely fats and carbohydrates. Large amounts of protein are responsible for a great deal of ill health. Meat is the most expensive source of protein and much less is needed in the diet of the average American family. It is not necessary to serve meat three times a day. Meat served once a day, supplemented by other protein foods is sufficient to keep the body of the healthful adult in good condition. The cheaper cuts of meat may well be utilized. They are just as nutritious as the better cuts and cost a great deal less, but require long, slow cooking.

Milk is not a beverage but a true food. It has been shown that milk selling from seven or eight cents a quart is cheaper source of protein than any of the animal foods except cheese, very cheap meat and salt fish. Skim milk usually costs less than half as much as whole milk and furnishes protein four times as cheaply as beef. The fat which it lacks may readily be supplied by other foods.

Eggs should hold a place equally prominent with milk. They are very easily digested and thoroughly absorbed by the body. It is true economy for the family of very moderate means to serve fresh eggs one meal a day in place of meat.

Dried legumes are the cheapest source of protein and pound per pound yield larger amounts of protein than any other food, and there is no dietary in which they may not profitably find a place.

Preparation of Tender Meats.—Broiled Steak.—See that the meat is cut at least one inch in thickness. Wipe clean with a damp cloth and trim off

excess fat. Broil over live coals, or under gas, turning each half minute for three minutes, after which complete the cooking at a lower temperature, turning every minute or two. The total time required varies from eight to twenty minutes, according to the thickness of the steak and the degree of cooking desired. Remove to a hot platter and salt evenly. Serve with any kind of sauce liked but avoid masking the flavor of the meat itself by the addition of stronger ones.

Pan-broiled Steak.—Prepare as in the above. Put into a smoking hot frying pan without any grease. Turn several times until both surfaces are seared and brown. Complete cooking at lower temperature.

Beef Roast (Ribs).—Prepare meat as above. Trim off any ragged portions but do not remove the fat. Place in pan, arranging to have the larger cut surface exposed to the direct heat of the oven. The part with the greatest surface of fat should be placed uppermost to do away with the necessity of basting. Place in a very hot oven, maintaining this temperature for fifteen or twenty minutes, then lower the heat and cover roaster. Continue roasting, allowing from fifteen to twenty minutes to each pound according to shape of cut and degree of cooking desired.

Preparation of Tough Meat.—Hamburg Steak.—2 lbs. beef, 1 T lemon juice, 1 T chopped parsley, 1 egg, 1-2 T onion juice, 2 T melted butter, 1 t salt, 1-4 t pepper. Grind the meat, add other ingredients. Shape into small cakes and cook in frying pan with small portion of suet.

Meat Loaf.—3 lbs. beef or veal, 1-4 lb. fat (pork or suet), 4 T water, 2 T lemon juice, 1 T salt, 1-2 T pepper, 1-2 C soft bread crumbs, 1 egg. Grind meat and add all of the above ingredients. Mix thoroughly. Shape into a loaf. Put a few tablespoonsful of water around meat in the pan and several strips of bacon on top of loaf. Bake slowly two or three hours. Baste as needed.

Swiss Steak.—Pound flour into a piece of round steak on both sides. Season well and saute in very hot suet, drippings until a good brown crust is formed. Then add sufficient water to barely cover and simmer slowly for an hour to an hour and a half. It may be necessary to add a little water occasionally. When ready to serve, there should be just liquid enough to moisten the meat thoroughly.

Pot Roast.—Use a cut from the round, rump or shoulder. Season with salt or pepper and dredge with flour. Then brown entire surface in suet. Add a little hot water. Cover closely and cook slowly for several hours. Four hours is not too long for a four or five pound roast. Vegetables may be added if desired. Less water may be added and the meat cooked in the oven. The water around meat in either case should be kept below the boiling point. The liquor around this meat makes an excellent foundation for gravy.

Hungarian Goulash.—Slice a peeled onion and cook until brown in suet drippings. Then add a pound and a half of lean uncooked veal or beef cut into inch cubes and stir until brown. Put into a baking dish. Sprinkle with flour. Add a pint of stock or boiling water, salt and pepper. Cover closely and cook slowly in the oven.

Potato balls may be browned in the frying pan and added to the meat when it is about half done. Or the potatoes may be placed on top of the meat and cooked until tender. More onion may be added if desired. The gravy may be thickened and cream may be added before serving.

HANOVER.

Mr. Rogers of Rumford was in town last Friday.

Parker Russell is busy most of the time taking parties out in his auto.

S. P. Davis was in Rumford, Saturday.

Farmers are busy in this section, repairing fences and working on their farms.

Harold Hastings of Northwater, Mass., was in town, Saturday and Sunday, visiting relatives.

George E. Smith has a new Ford auto.

Mrs. S. A. Brock has returned and opened her house. All are glad to welcome her back.

The post office has been moved to Chase's residence.

Eli Stearns is repairing the roads through the town.

James Hayford was home the week end.

NEWRY.

The family of A. E. Bailey are all having the grip.

H. P. Hurlow has bought a home of H. P. Treadwell.

Miss Anna Young of Newry was teaching the school here and looking at P. I. Fennell's.

The Radio Mills Co. have their place all in the Androscoggin.

Ralph Hunt is at work for the Iron Works.

The rain of last Saturday was appreciated by all.

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ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1914.
Real Estate, \$14,000.00
Collateral Loans, 4,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, 3,418,336.99
Cash in Office and Bank, 553,286.53
Agents' Balances, 949,964.27
Bills Receivable, 2,912.65
Interest and Rents, 42,034.73
All other Assets, 125,482.86
Gross Assets, \$5,169,298.62
Deduct items not admitted, 467,896.71
Admitted Assets, \$4,691,311.91
LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1914.
Net Unpaid Losses, and Loss Expenses, \$410,578.33
Unearned Premiums, 1,475,416.79
All other Liabilities, 287,996.01
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities, 2,317,319.78
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IRON IN WATER.
Half a part per million of iron in water is detectable by taste, and more than 3 or 4 parts per million is perceptible. In some cases it is perceptible in the amount which imparts a metallic taste to the water, but ordinarily it is unnoticeable. More than 25 parts per million in water used for householding makes a stain on the clothes. Iron must be removed from water from which ice is made, or a cloudy, discolored product will result. An iron content of over 2 or 3 parts per million in water used in the manufacture of paper will stain the paper. Iron is harmful in water used for steaming, for it is in equilibrium with acids which in the boiler becomes dissociated, with the result that the free acids corrode the boiler plates, but the amount of iron carried in solution by most waters is so small that the damage it does to steam boilers generally amounts to little.

Waters having a high iron content have in some places, where they have been used as city supplies, caused an immense amount of trouble and expense, for they favor the growth of micro-organisms to such a degree that the water pipes become clogged with the iron sludge of this organism. The removal of iron from water is sometimes easy and sometimes very difficult.

Water Supply Paper 674, U. S. Geological Survey.

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CANTON

Mrs. A. S. Walker of New York is a patient at the home of Dr. Frank W. Morse of Canton. A trained nurse, Miss Clara Barrows, is caring for her. Mr. and Mrs. F. Wilbur Briggs are receiving congratulations on the birth of an eleven pound son, which arrived Saturday.

Principal Donald B. Partridge and wife attended the prize speaking contest of the Livermore Falls high school, Mr. Partridge being one of the judges. Mrs. Geo. F. Towle has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Fannie Harmon, of Portland.

Mrs. Edna Briggs is employed at Livermore Falls.

Mrs. Geo. H. Johnson is ill. The funeral of Leonard Thompson of Hartford was held at the home, Friday, at one o'clock. Rev. Frank Lamb of Buckfield officiating. A quartet from Buckfield rendered appropriate music and the floral offerings were many and beautiful, including seventy-four white pinks. The bearers were old neighbors of the deceased: Levi Monk, Prescott Bosworth, Jabez Dunn and Isaac Thurlow. The burial was at East Sumner. Mr. and Mrs. Emory Parsons of Hartford are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Addie Gates of Haverhill, Mass.

Rev. A. G. Murray, who has returned from the hospital, is convalescing from his recent surgical operation for appendicitis.

Frank B. Woodward of Canton, one of our enterprising merchants, has purchased the furniture and undertaking business of W. L. Roberts, who has done a successful business in Canton for the past sixteen years. Mr. Roberts will be retained as undertaker, until Mr. Woodward has the business thoroughly learned. He has also bought the building owned by Mr. Roberts in which the business will be carried on as formerly.

V. W. Canham of Sanford was a speaker at Canton Grange, Saturday. Miss Ethel L. Hutchinson, who is teaching in Medford, Mass., has been spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hutchinson.

A. H. Adams is getting along nicely since his return from the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mrs. Harold B. Gilbert has left the Hebron sanatorium and is now in Lewiston, receiving treatment for her throat and one of her eyes.

Many patronized the fine macaroni and baked bean supper which was served Thursday night by the Universalists.

Freeland Farnham of Hartford is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Redden are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Gammon returned home Friday from their wedding trip.

Anasagunticook Lodge and Ponemah Lodge attended services in a body, Sunday, and listened to an interesting and helpful sermon by Rev. W. A. Kelley of Livermore Falls. Excellent music was furnished by a quartet. The church was prettily decorated with potted plants.

Mrs. Ma Litheridge is visiting in Auburn for a few days.

Ray Boothby and family have been guests of his parents, Frank Boothby and wife, of South Livermore.

Mrs. Henry Nulty of Rockfield has been a guest of her daughter, Miss Alice H. Nulty.

L. C. Metten has been visiting his son, E. L. Metten and family, of Bangor.

Alfred Russell of Poland has been a guest of his parents, A. P. Russell and wife.

John Briggs attended the State sealers, weights and measures meeting at Augusta the past week.

John L. Stephens of Rumford was in town, Friday.

Ren Briggs has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Brown, of Hartford. Walter Philson and family have been visiting relatives in Livermore.

MRS. JOIS JOHNSON BRADFORD.
Mrs. Lois Johnson Bradford of Portland, widow of the late Dora Bradford of Canton, passed away Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace W. Andrews of 123 Brackett street, Portland, with whom she made her home. Mrs. Bradford retired in her usual health Sunday night and died at four o'clock A. M. She was 83 years old the first day of April. She was born in Turner, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Johnson. She had three brothers and one sister and three half brothers. She was a sister of Mrs. John Johnson, who was a noted musician of Andover.

She married Dora Bradford and the rest of their married life was spent in Canton, where Mr. Bradford was in trade for a long term of years. Mr. and Mrs. Bradford had six children, five of whom survive, namely: Howell E. Bradford, Mrs. Alice Johnson, Mrs. Wallace W. Andrews, Mrs. Katherine E. Nash and Frank Bradford, all of whom live in Portland. Mr. Bradford passed away in Canton, Feb. 23, 1915.

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Mrs. Bradford was a member of the Canton Baptist Church, John A. Holge Relief Corps, and of Evergreen Chapter, No. 24, O. E. S., of Canton, serving as chaplain in the chapter for many years. She was a woman beloved by all who knew her. The funeral will be held at the Baptist Church, Canton, at 12 o'clock.

CHARLES WINSLOW WALKER.

Charles Winslow Walker, one of Canton's esteemed citizens, passed away Thursday afternoon, April 23, after an illness of about ten days with local pneumonia and a complication of diarrhoea.

Mr. Walker was born in Peru and would have been 70 years old on July 4th. He was the son of Winslow Walker and Amanda Benson Walker, to whom four children were born, namely: William Chandler, Alfred, Abbie and Charles Winslow, the youngest and the last to pass away.

Mr. Walker married Miss Lydia T. Hathaway, a daughter of Peter Tolman Hathaway and Sarah Austin Hathaway. From this union seven children were born, namely: Frank Leslie, Miss Jennie, Lillian, Charles F., Jr., Ella and Alphonso. All survive with the exception of Jennie, the wife of Alphonso A. Towne of Waterville, who passed away one year ago, the first break in the large family circle.

Mr. Walker passed away Dec. 12, 1914, after a few days illness. Mr. Walker is survived by thirteen grandchildren.

A few months after their marriage Mr. Walker and wife moved to the farm of Mrs. Walker's father, where they have lived until about two years ago when they moved to a house only a short distance from the old home, their son, Charles Walker, assuming the care of the farm.

Mr. Walker was one of Canton's prominent and industrious farmers. He was of a modest and retiring nature, never caring for public office but was devoted to his family and the interests of farm life. He served last year as one of the board of selectmen of Canton. He was an extensive poultry raiser and always kept a fine herd of cattle.

Mr. Walker was a member of Canton

Grange, No. 110, P. of H., and was its faithful treasurer, which office he had held for eighteen or twenty years, his wife serving as secretary for more than fifteen years. Mr. and Mrs. Walker were among the prominent grangers of Oxford County. They were members of New Century Pomona and the State Grange and were earnest workers in the order.

The funeral was held Saturday at the home at one o'clock. Rev. J. H. Little of Bethel, officiating. Many and beautiful were the floral tributes, a church parade being from Canton Grange. The bearers were the three sons, Frank L., Charles W. and Alphonso G. Walker of Canton and son-in-law, Alphonso A. Towne of Waterville.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Valentine T. Neale of New Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Huber of Auburn, Mrs. Lucia Walker and Eva Walker of Peru, Alphonso A. Towne of Waterville, Walter Newton, Oliver Hathaway and Minnie Hathaway of Auburn. The interment was at Pine Woods Cemetery.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum of West Paris was in the place, Friday, with a fine line of spring millinery.

C. B. Tobbits, Chris Bryant and Curtis Abbott were in North Stratford on business last week.

George Tirrell was a guest of his family at South Paris the week end.

Miss Lena Tibbitts of Bethel substituted in the primary room last week for Miss Farrington, who is still ill.

Lester Tibbitts visited with relatives at Auburn, recently.

Mrs. Bert Goodwin was in South Paris, shopping, Saturday.

J. E. Beaulieu received word Saturday from his home in Quebec of the death of his brother. His brother, Theobald, started for Quebec, Saturday evening.

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RUMFORD

On May 21st, Purity Rebekah Lodge will entertain the lodges of Canton, Livermore Falls and Dixfield at the district meeting.

George W. Pettengill has purchased the small wooden building which served as the Baptist chapel for many years, and also the small wooden building on Penobscot street formerly used by Superintendent Ellingwood as an office. He will convert the buildings into dwelling houses.

Erlon Wyman is at work for Dr. Leslie in Andover.

Rev. Father Barry has purchased a new Studebaker roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett K. Day are now located at Lynn, Mass., where Mr. Day holds a responsible position in a large department store.

The trustees of the Rumford Public Library has purchased a number of books on the subject of domestic science. W. H. S. Ellingwood, superintendent of schools, has been made a trustee, according to the new regulations adopted by the board.

The annual firemen's ball will be held in the Majestic hall on Monday evening, May 3rd. Special music and decorations will be among the features, and it is expected that this will be the best ball ever held by this organization.

It is said that a detective from the Secretary of State's office, Augusta, will be in town some time this week to obtain evidence against the autoists who are running their cars on last year's licenses.

The five thousand dollar suit brought against Deputy Sheriff Bessey by the widow of a Poland, who was killed by falling down stairs while under arrest last year, will be tried at the May term of Supreme Court in Rumford. Anna Williams is the prosecuting attorney.

The Wallace Taylor farm at Frye was sold at public auction at the municipal court room last week. William Porter was the successful bidder, paying \$1800 or \$100 more than the mortgage.

A verdict of \$250 was awarded Dr. S. L. Andrews in his suit against Walker Briggs whose auto hit and seriously injured Dr. Andrews' son, Paul, last fall.

Charles Antell has filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities amount to \$410; assets \$10. County Attorney Bellevue is Antell's attorney.

The announcement of the approaching marriage of Earle Kenney and Grace Livingston has been made.

C. H. Lovejoy, who has been spending the last several weeks with his son, Melvin, in Boston, returned to Rumford last week and will spend a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. E. Henry. His nephew, Carroll Lovejoy, returned with him, and will remain for a visit.

Miss Eleanor Hawley is acting as stenographer in the office of the Continental Bag Mill.

Mrs. John Norman is recovering nicely from a recent surgical operation. The men's and women's Bible classes of the Methodist Church will serve a May breakfast, Saturday, May 1st, from six to eight o'clock.

Madame Mosher of Oakland is the guest of her son, Mr. Harry Mosher and wife.

At the annual meeting of the District Nursing Association held last week in the rooms of the Business Men's Club, election of officers resulted as follows:—Judge McCarthy, president; Mrs. Mabel E. Kennard, vice-president; Ralph T. Parker, treasurer; Edith Lee Neal, secretary.

The law court has sustained a verdict for the defendant in the case of Dr. L. O. Lessier vs the town of Rumford. Dr. Lessier sued the town for money he claimed due him for services during the small pox epidemic two years ago.

Rev. Father LaFlamme announced last week that he had received a check for \$250 from Hugh J. Chisholm toward the new convent which is to be built at the rear of the Parochial school building and to face on Franklin street.

Dr. Fred E. Wheel has purchased a Ford touring car.

The assessors of Rumford Village Corporation have appointed the following committee to arrange for the Fourth of July celebration:—Nathan P. Israelson, chairman; Dr. J. Abbott Niles, Cass P. Votter. The committee has already gotten busy, and have plans for the biggest Fourth of July celebration held for a long time. As there is to be no celebration in Portland or Lewiston, the committee will arrange for special rates on the railroads. While it can not be announced yet all of the big features of the celebration, it is said that there will be a firing machine, big parade, several bands and base ball games.

The morning train from Orono was over the Bangley division of the Maine Central on Thursday morning of last week struck the milk wagon of Fred Cote at the grade crossing on Lincoln avenue. Mr. Cote was driving a steel tire wagon. The wagon was

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completely smashed and with Mr. Cote was thrown yards away from the truck. The horse was set free and ran to Mexico unharmed. Mr. Cote was rushed to the McArthur Hospital, where everything was done for him that was possible, but he died about noon time. Mr. Cote was about 28 years of age, and leaves a wife and two children. His home was in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ladd, who have for some time occupied a house on Church street, are breaking up housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herbert Draper, who were recently married in Lewiston, expect to spend a part of their honeymoon in Rumford at the home of Mr. Draper. The bride, who was Miss Marietta Haley, was employed with Mr. Draper in a bakery in Lewiston.

Maine Central air-brake instruction car 200 was in town last week and was set off near the old passenger site. Employees of this division were given instruction in air brake practice under the direction of Mr. Carroll Frank. Quite a few people visited the car which was open and welcome to all. Mr. Frank was a most interesting talker.

Mrs. Walter Rolfe and little son, Theodore, are guests of Mrs. Rolfe's mother, Mrs. Daniel O'Brien, of Houghton.

J. B. Ireland, claim agent of the Maine Central Railroad Co., was in town last week to investigate the accident at the Bibeau crossing. He also went to Summit on Friday, from here, to investigate the accident of the section men at Summit.

A bad accident occurred last Friday morning on the late division of the Maine Central. At about six A. M., four men started from Summit toward Rumford on a hand car. When about a mile and a quarter west of Summit, running down grade, the car, for some cause unexplained, jumped the track, and two of the men being on the front end of the car were thrown off between the rails and the car, with its load, ran on to them, severely injuring them. The two men uninjured got the car off as quickly as possible, but found the two men badly hurt. They managed to get the car back on the rails again, and put the injured men on board, and ran back to the Summit House, from where they called the train dispatcher at Rumford, notifying him of the accident, and arranged for the men to be taken to Rumford on passenger train 214. Upon arrival at Rumford they were immediately taken to the McArthur Hospital, where their injuries were attended to. It was found that Mr. Fisher's collar bone on the left side was broken, also his left ankle. Mr. Blanchard was suffering from a break in his left arm at the elbow, and a break in the bone of the right leg below the knee. Leslies numerous scalp wounds. Both men rallied well from the shock and anesthesia, and have been doing as well as could be expected. Mr. Lawrence B. Fisher, one of the injured men, was a section foreman, having been in the employ of the road for about seven years. He has a wife and two children. Mr. Freeman Blanchard, the other injured man, has been in Mr. Fisher's crew for about a year. He has a wife and one child.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Davis are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter which arrived on Saturday afternoon last. It has been named Dorothy.

In the primary grades of this town the teachers keep a floral roll of flowers on the blackboard, and each child who brings in the earliest specimen of spring flowers, has his name on the roll. Already yellow violets, white violets, and dog tooth violets have been brought in.

Mrs. Albert Thobodeau and young child of Maine spent the week end in

ANDOVER

Mrs. Frank Lovejoy and two sons and mother, Mrs. Boynton, who have spent the winter in Miami, Florida, have returned to Andover and are boarding with Mr. Lovejoy at Hotel Milton.

George Hutchins is shearing sheep for the farmers.

Mrs. James Barnett, who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Glover and son were guests Sunday of Sylvanus Learned and family.

The first thunder shower of the season passed over Andover, Sunday night.

The Thurston Brothers are busy with their drives.

Mrs. Belle Pope of Lisbon is caring for Mrs. B. L. Akers, who is improving in health.

Erlon Wyman of Rumford is working for Dr. F. E. Leslie.

April 17, born to the wife of Wallace Marston, a daughter.

Raymond Curtis, the high school principal, was away last week and the school closed.

Mrs. Warren Marston is caring for Mrs. Eva Marston, who has a young child.

Mrs. Carl Newton and children are visiting her parents in Roxbury.

M. L. Thurston was at his home in Bethel a few days this week.

Mrs. Harry Roberts and baby have returned to Andover after spending several weeks with her people in Auburn.

Mrs. M. D. Bedell, who has been ill, is improving.

Mrs. Henry Mills visited her son, I. E. Mills and family, Sunday.

There was a meeting of the Crystal Fountain Water Co., at the H. and L. hall, Monday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Newton is convalescing, her sister is helping care for her.

Mrs. Henry L. Poor is quite ill.

Mrs. Owen Lovejoy has returned home from Lynn, where she has spent several weeks.

Mrs. Harriet Akers and Mrs. Herbert Allen from Rumford were in town last week with millinery.

The young people held their last whist party for the season, Thursday evening of last week in the town hall. Thirteen tables were used and a fine time enjoyed. Mrs. I. E. Mills and Stephen Abbott won the first prizes.

Refreshments of mashed potato, cold meats and pastry of all kinds were served by the gentlemen, after which a few dances were enjoyed.

Mrs. Nathan Akers and Mrs. Herbert Allen were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Akers.

The town hall is being repaired with steel ceiling and paint. Mr. Crocker and F. E. Akers are doing the work.

The Oxford North Agricultural Society held a meeting in the selectmen's office, Saturday afternoon. Mr. P. B. Martin, vice president of the Society, and Brooks Stratton from Rumford were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lang have moved into their new home.

Donald Withington is delivering his orders of aluminum ware through town.

MIDDLE INTERVAL.

Michael Tirrell has been to Berlin, visiting relatives.

Napoleon Fortier, one of the Carter workmen, has been to Berlin on a visit.

Ned Carter is hauling wood to Springer's mill.

J. H. Carter has a fine horse.

Walter Valentine sawed wood here with his gasoline engine.

H. L. Powers has cut and hauled up wood and plowed some here.

D. M. Kimball is having some mason work done at the "Mountain Side Cottage."

C. C. Fames is ill. Frank Osgood is at work there.

Dr. Austin Tenney of Portland has been here recently.

Mr. Marshall, agent for the Singer Sewing Machine, was in town, recently.

Mrs. J. L. Oliver is with her sister, Mrs. Newton, in Andover. Mrs. Newton has been quite ill.

town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gauthier, of Congress street, making the trip from Malson in Mrs. Thobodeau's automobile, which she runs herself.

Last Wednesday evening Miss Caroline Remington entertained the Quil Club, of which she is a member, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Greene.

The evening was pleasantly passed in the game of "Action," after which a delicious lunch of hot rolls, straw berries, cakes and tea was served by the hostess.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Davis have as a guest Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Howe (Mrs. Miss Avis Parlin), of Arlington, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wheeler are spending a few days at their former home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciren S. Osgood spent several days of last week at their camp at South Bangley on the shores of Bangley Lake, going up to open it for the summer.

WEST PARIS

The remains of Elmer E. Tuell, whose death occurred at a Massachusetts Hospital for the insane, were brought here Wednesday evening and taken to the home of his mother, Mrs. Melinda Tuell. The funeral will be held Thursday, conducted by W. Paris Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Onward Rebekah Lodge attending, of which the deceased was a member. Rev. D. A. Ball will officiate. Mr. Tuell was the son of the late Henry M. Tuell and Mrs. Melinda (Crawford) Tuell of Paris. He was 57 years of age. Mr. Tuell was a resident of W. Paris for many years until he moved to Walpole, Mass., more than four years ago. He married Mattie D. Bowler of Sumner, four children were born to them: Lucia Blanche, who died in infancy; Madge L., wife of Wirt S. McKenney; Ivan H. and Maud B. The widow and family all reside at Greenwood, Mass.

Mr. Tuell was a Universalist and a Republican. He was a man who made many friends by his kindness, cheer and good will. The aged mother, so recently bereaved of her only daughter, Mrs. Lena Chase, and the other members of his family have the sympathy of a host of friends.

There will be a May ball at Grange Hall, West Paris, Wednesday evening, May 6th. Music by Shaw's orchestra. One Step and Hesitation Waltz allowed. Floor manager, Carroll A. Bacon; aids, A. C. Forham, H. S. Mann, E. J. Mann. The supper will consist of mashed potatoes, cold meats, salads, dancing, 50 cents; supper 50 cents. Grand march at 8 o'clock.

S. W. Dunham returned to Greenfield, Mass., accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Fannie Hamilton, who has been visiting at H. W. Dunham's.

Miss Alice Barlen sang at the anniversary of Mt. Mica Lodge at South Paris, Monday evening.

Carle H. Babb of Westbrook was the week end guest of his aunt, Mrs. Lorraine Willis.

THE GENERAL PRINCIPLES WHICH GOVERN THE SALE OF SHELL-FISH IN MAINE.

In order to be lawfully sold in Maine, all shell-fish must be taken from unpolluted beds. They must be sold, whether opened or in the shell, as they come from the salt water beds without being "doctored" in fresh or brackish waters. Freshly opened clams and oysters may be sold with the natural liquids provided they are plainly labeled to show that fact. But opened shell-fish may not be shipped with the natural liquids, as the resulting decomposition products speedily render the solids unfit for food. All opened shell-fish must be opened, drained and packed under proper sanitary conditions. They must be shipped in sanitary containers without the addition of water or direct contact with ice. If the opened shell-fish need to be washed this may be done in either clean salt water or clean fresh water, but the opened shell-fish shall not stand in the wash water for more than 5 minutes of time.

OPENED OYSTERS.

Properly drained and reasonably fresh opened oysters in good condition for food will not carry more than 5 per cent of liquids that will drain from a clamshell in five minutes of time, and will never have less than 10 per cent of dry matter in the solids. Opened oysters that carry not less than 10 per cent of dry solids and not over 10 per cent of free liquids are passed. If the dry solids are between 15 and 10 per cent or the free liquids between 10 and 12 per cent the dealer is warned. If the dry solids are less than 15 per cent or the free liquids more than 12 per cent a hearing is appointed.

OPENED CLAMS.

Clams opened at the Maine Experiment Station even when they have come from beds that have brackish waters, have never carried less than 19 per cent dry solids. If the dry solids are not less than 18 per cent and the free liquids not more than 12 per cent opened clams are passed. If the dry solids are between 17 and 14 per cent or the free liquids between 12 and 15 per cent the dealer is warned. If the dry solids are less than 17 per cent or the free liquids more than 15 per cent a hearing is appointed.

SCALLOPS.

The edible portion of the scallop is the muscle that holds the shell together. Scallops are always sold opened. The giant scallop as fished in deep water on the Maine coast, will carry about 22 per cent of dry solids and practically no liquids. If the dry solids are not less than 18 per cent and the free liquids not more than 4 per cent scallops are passed. If the dry solids are between 17 and 18 per cent or the free liquids between 4 and 6 per cent the dealer is warned. If the dry solids are less than 17 per cent or the free liquids more than 6 per cent a hearing is appointed.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Practical Advice on Setting a Hen—How to Deal with a Broody Bird—Test Fertility of Eggs—A Home-made Candler.

As the time approaches for the hens to become broody or sit if care is taken to look in the nests it will be seen that there are a few soft downy feathers being left there by the hens; also, the hens stay longer on the nests when laying at this time, and on being approached will quite likely remain on the nest, ruffling up their feathers and pecking at the intruder. When it is noted that a hen sits on the nest for two or three nights in succession, she is ready to be transferred to a nest which should be prepared for her beforehand. This nest should be in a box and composed of straw, hay, or chaff for nesting material. Pack this material down firmly and shape a circular nest out of it which should be slightly deeper in the center than at the edges, as a nest so shaped will prevent the eggs from rolling out from under the hen and becoming chilled. Dust the hen thoroughly with insect powder. In applying the powder, hold the hen by the feet, head down, working the powder well into the feathers, giving special attention to regions around the vent and under the wings. The powder should also be sprinkled in the nest. The nest should be in some quiet, out-of-the-way place on the farm, where the sitting hen will not be disturbed. Move her from the regular laying nest at night. Handle her carefully in doing so. Put a china egg or two in the nest where she is to sit, and place a board over the opening so that she can not get off. Toward evening of the second day, quietly go in where she is sitting, and leave some feed and water, and remove the board from the front or top of the nest, and let the hen come off when she is ready. Should she return to the nest after feeding, remove the china egg or eggs and put under those that are to be incubated. In cool weather it is best to put not more than 10 eggs under a hen, while later in the spring one can put 12 to 15, according to the size of the hen. If several hens are sitting in the same room, see that they are kept on the nests, only allowing them to come off to get food and water, which should be once a day.

Many eggs that are laid in the late winter and early spring are infertile. For this reason it is advisable to set several hens at the same time. After the eggs have been under the hen for seven days they should be tested to see whether they are fertile or infertile. Infertile eggs should be removed and used at home in cooking or for ornaments, and the fertile eggs should be put back under the hen. In this way it is often possible to put all the eggs that three hens originally started to sit on under two hens and reset the other hen again. For example: Thirty eggs are set under three hens at the same time, 10 under each. At the end of seven days we find on testing the eggs that 10 are infertile, which leaves us 20 eggs to reset, which we do by putting them under two hens and have the remaining one to set over again after she has set only seven days.

A good homemade egg tester or candler can be made from a large shoe box, or any box that is large enough to go over a lamp, by removing an end and cutting a hole a little larger than the size of a quarter in the bottom of the box, so that when it is set over a common kerosene lamp the hole in the bottom will be opposite the blaze. A hole the size of a silver dollar should be cut in the top of the box to allow the heat to escape. An infertile egg when held before the small hole with the lamp lighted inside the box will look perfectly clear, the same as a fresh one, while a fertile egg will show a small dark spot, known as the embryo, with a mass of little blood veins extending in all directions if the embryo is living. If dead, if the egg has been incubated for at least 36 hours, the blood settles away from the embryo toward the edges of the yolk, forming in some cases an irregular circle of blood, known as a blood ring. Eggs vary in this respect, some showing only a streak of blood. The testing should be done in a dark room.

TO INTEREST PHYSICIANS AND NURSES IN TUBERCULOSIS.

National Effort to Improve Teaching on Consumption and to Help Family Doctors.

For the purpose of securing more cooperation from physicians and nurses in the anti-tuberculosis campaign, the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has inaugurated a movement to bring the importance of this subject to the attention of these two groups, according to an announcement made from headquarters today.

Among the first things which the Association is trying to do is to induce the medical colleges and schools of nursing to give more instruction,

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particularly of a clinical nature, on tuberculosis. An effort will be made also to reach the individual practitioners and nurses by special booklets prepared for this purpose. The clinical and other facilities of the various organizations affiliated with the National Association will so far as possible be made available for the widest possible use in training doctors and nurses in tuberculosis work.

"The object of the campaign," says Dr. Charles J. Hatfield, Executive Secretary of the National Association, in making the announcement, is primarily to secure more accurate and earlier diagnosis of tuberculosis on the part of physicians and to show nurses the great opportunities of service in the home care of consumptives. We shall also be able to put the average family physician in touch with the best methods of treating tuberculosis and with the most recent literature on that subject, thereby affording to the general public increased protection from this disease. Practically all of the medical colleges and schools of nursing of the country have expressed their approval of our plan and have offered to cooperate with us. While the medical profession generally has unselfishly assisted the nation-wide campaign against this disease, we feel because of its prevalence, tuberculosis should be given special attention by medical students and practicing physicians everywhere. No other single disease demands so much time and attention from the general practitioner in medicine. We shall try to make it easy for any doctor or nurse to acquire a specialized knowledge of tuberculosis."

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PEG O'MY HEART

By J. Hartley Manners

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SYNOPSIS.

Frank O'Connell, young Irish patriot, is shot and wounded by British soldiers while making a home rule speech. He is aided by Angela Kingsnorth, an English society girl, who defends him.

Angela takes O'Connell to her brother's home and helps to nurse him. He recovers, and he and the girl become fast friends.

O'Connell when well is sent to jail for disturbing the peace. He finally writes Angela that he has finished his sentence.

O'Connell and Angela wed. She has assisted the Irish cause. Her brother, a member of parliament, is very angry.

The happy couple come to America to live. A daughter is born to them. Angela's brother refuses to help the couple in any way. Angela dies.

O'Connell names his daughter Margaret and calls her "Peg." O'Connell receives a most important letter from England, which perplexes him.

O'Connell allows Peg to visit England at her uncle's request. The elder Kingsnorth's heart had finally softened toward his dead sister's little girl.

Peg goes to the home of the Chichester family in England at the direction of Mr. Hawkes, Kingsnorth's attorney, as Kingsnorth suddenly dies.

She first meets Ethel Chichester and Brent, a married man in love with Ethel. She interrupts them by accident in a secret meeting.

Ethel is enraged at Peg and haughtily dismisses her from the drawing room, sending her to the servants' quarters. The Chichesters have lost their money in a bank failure.

Hawkes arrives and reads the Kingsnorth will. It leaves most of the fortune to Peg and offers liberal pay to any one who will undertake her education and social training.

Mrs. Chichester finally agrees to bring up Peg in return for the money promised, although she openly despises the shabby young girl.

Peg is heartbroken at the cold reception given her by the Chichester family. She is much impressed, however, by the luxury of her surroundings.

Peg meets Jerry Adair, who takes a lively interest in her. She finds in him a real friend. She tells him about her father. He is a farmer, he says.

"My niece is tired after her journey. She will lunch in her room." "Oh, but I'm not a bit tired," ejaculated Peg anxiously. "I'm not tired at all, and I'd much rather have lunch down here with Mr. Jerry."

The whole family were aghast. Ethel looked indignantly at Peg. Mrs. Chichester ejaculated, "What?" Alaric, almost struck dumb, fell back upon "Well, I mean to say!"

"And you shall go in with Mr. Jerry," said that young gentleman, slipping Peg's arm through his own. Turning to Mrs. Chichester, he asked her: "With your permission we will lead the way. Come, Peg," and he led her to the door and opened it.

Peg looked up at him, a roguish light dancing in his big, expressive eyes. "Thanks. I'm not so sure about that wagger of yours. I think yer life is safe. I want to tell ye ye've saved mine." She put one hand gently on her little stomach and cried, "I am so hungry me soul is hangin' by a thread."

Laughing gaily the two new found friends went in search of the dining room.

"Disgraceful!" ventured Ethel. "Awful!" said the stunned Alaric. "She must be taken in hand at once!" came in firm tones from Mrs. Chichester. "She must never be left alone again. Come quickly before she can disgrace us any further today."

The days that followed were never to be forgotten ones for Peg. Her nature was in continual revolt. The teaching of her whole lifetime she was told to correct. Everything she said, everything she looked, everything she did was wrong.

Tutors were engaged to prepare her for the position she might one day enjoy through her dead uncle's will. They did not remain long. She showed either marked incapacity to acquire the slightest veneer of culture—she it was pure willfulness.

The only gleams of relief she had were on the occasions when Jerry visited the family. Whenever they could avoid Mrs. Chichester's watchful eyes they would chat and laugh and play like children.

Her letters to her father were at first very blithe regarding her treatment by the family. Indeed, so recently did they become that her father wrote to her in reply urging her, if she was so unhappy, to at once return to him on the next steamer. The month she had promised to stay was drawing to an end. But one more day remained. It was to be a memorable one for Peg.

Jerry had endeavored at various times to encourage her to study. One day he gave her a large, handsomely bound volume and asked her to read it at odd times and he would examine her in it when she had mastered its contents. She opened it wonderingly and found it to be "Love Stories of the World."

It became Peg's treasure. She kept it hidden from every one in the house. She made a cover for it out of a piece of cloth, so that no one could see the

ornate binding. "She would read it at night in her room, by day out in the fields or by the sea. The book was a revelation to her. It gave all her imagination full play. Through its pages trended a stately procession of kings and queens—Wagnerian heroes and heroines, Shakespearean creations, melodious in verse, and countless others.

All through the month Christian Brent was a frequent visitor. If Peg only despised the Chichesters she positively loathed Brent. Peg was waiting for a really good chance to find out Mr. Brent's real character. The opportunity came.

On the night of the last day of the trial month Peg was lying face downward on a sofa reading her treasure when she became conscious of some one being in the room watching her. She started up in a panic, instinctively hiding the book behind her. She found Brent staring down at her in open admiration. Something in the intensity of his gaze caused her to spring to her feet.

"The book must be absorbing. What is it?" he asked. Peg faced him, the book clamped in both of her hands behind her back, her eyes flashing and her heart throbbing.

"You mustn't be angry, child. What is it, eh? Something forbidden?" and he leered knowingly at her. Then he made a quick snatch at the book, saying, "Show it me!"

Peg ran across the room and, turning up a corner of the carpet, put the book under it, turned back the carpet, put her foot determinedly on it and turned again to face her tormentor.

Brent went rapidly across to her. The instinct of the chase was quick in his blood.

"A hiding place, eh? Now you make me really curious. Let me see." He again made a movement toward the hidden book.

Peg clinched both of her hands into little fists and glared at Brent, while her breath came in quick, sharp gasps. "I love spirit!" cried Brent.

Then he looked at her charming dress, at her stylish coiffure, at the simple spray of flowers at her breast. He gave an ejaculation of pleasure.

"What a wonderful change in a month! You must certainly would not be sent to the kitchen now. Do you know you have grown into a most attractive young lady? You are really delightful angry. And you are angry, aren't you? And with me, eh? I'm so sorry if I've offended you. Let us kiss and be friends." He tried to take her in his arms. Peg gave him a resounding box on the ear. The door opened, and Ethel came into the room.

Peg hurried out through the window.

Brent turned to Ethel. "My dear!"

Ethel looked coldly at him. "Why did she run away?"

Brent smiled easily and confidently. "I'd surprised one of her secrets, and she flew into a temper."

"Secrets?" was all Ethel said. "Yes, see." He walked across to the corner and turned back the carpet and, kneeling down, searched for the book, found it and held it up triumphantly. "Here!" He stood up and opened the book and read the title page: "Love Stories of the World." To Peg from Jerry! Oh! cried Mr. Brent. "Jerry! Eh? No wonder she didn't want me to see it! Jerry! So that's how the land lies! Romantic little child!"

Ethel looked steadily at him. "Why don't you go after her?" and she nodded in the direction Peg had gone.

"Ethel!" he cried, aghast. "She is new and has all the virtues." "I assure you"—he began. "Really—Ethel!"

"Were you 'carried away' again?" she sneered. "Surely you're not jealous of a—child?"

"No. I don't think it's jealousy," said Ethel slowly. "Then what is it?"

"Disgust!" She shrugged her shoulders contemptuously. "Now I understand why the scullery is sometimes the rival of the drawing room. The love of change!"

He turned away from her. Ethel watched him quietly. "Chris, come here!"

He turned to her. "There's a little old over I suppose I have been a little hard on you." She held out her hand.

"My nerves have been rather severely tried this past month," Ethel went on. "Put a muzzle into a kennel of thoroughbreds and they will either destroy the intruder or be in a continual condition of unsettled, irritated intolerance. That is exactly my condition."

Brent sat beside her and said softly: "Then I've come in time?"

Ethel smiled. "So did I, didn't I?" and she indicated the window through which Peg ran after assaulting Brent.

"Don't! Please don't!" he pleaded. "Very well," replied Ethel complacently, "I won't."

"I'm sorry, Chris," remarked Ethel finally, after some moments had passed. "A month ago it wouldn't have mattered so much. Just now—it does. It's been horrible here."

"A month of misery for me, too," replied Brent passionately. "I'm going away—out of it. Tomorrow!" he added. "To Petersburg—Moscow—Siberia!"

"Oh, the cold places!" She paused, then asked, "Going alone?" He whispered almost into her ear: "Unless some one goes with me! Will—you-go?" And he waited breathlessly.

She thought a moment, looked at him again and said quietly, "Chris, I wish I'd been here when you called—instead of that—brat!"

CHAPTER XXI.

Complications.

BRENT turned away again to the window seat crying, "Oh, this is unbearable!"

Ethel said quite calmly: "Is it? Your wife all over again, eh?"

He came back to her. "No. I place you far above her, far above all petty suspicions of carping narrowness. I value you as a woman of understanding."

"I am," she said frankly. "From what you've told me of your wife she must be too."

"Don't treat me like this!" he pleaded distractedly.

"What shall I do," asked Ethel with wide open eyes, "apologize? That's odd. I've been waiting for you to."

As Brent moved up toward the windows Alaric came in behind him through the door.

"Hello, Brent," he called out heartily. "Hullo ye?"

"Very well, thank you, Alaric," he said, controlling his surprise.

"Good. The dear wife well too?" "Very."

"And the sweet child?" "Yes."

"You must bring 'em along some time. The mater would love to see them, and so would Ethel. Ethel loves 'em, don't you, dear?" Without waiting for Ethel to reply he hurried on. "And, talking of babies, have you seen Margaret anywhere?"

Ethel nodded in the direction of the garden. "Out there!"

"Splendid. The mater wants her. We've got to have a family meeting about her and at once." Alaric hurried out through the windows into the garden.

Brent hurried over to Ethel. "I'm at the hotel. I'll be there until morning. Send me a message, will you? I'll wait up all night for one."

He paused. "Will you?" "Perhaps," replied Ethel.

"I'm sorry if anything I've said or done has hurt you."

She checked him just as her mother appeared at the top of the stairs. At the same moment Bennett, the maid, came in through the door.

Mrs. Chichester greeted Brent courteously: "How do you do, Mr. Brent? You will excuse me?" She turned to the maid.

"When did you see my niece last?" "Not this hour, madam."

"Tell Jarvis to search the gardens, the stables, to look up and down the road."

"Goodbye, Mrs. Chichester—and Ethel," said Brent. He looked meaningfully and significantly at Ethel as he stood in the doorway. The next moment he was gone.

Alaric hurried in through the windows from the garden.

"Not a sign of Margaret anywhere," he said furiously, throwing himself into a chair and fanning himself vigorously.

"This cannot go on!" cried Mrs. Chichester.

"I should think not, indeed—running about all over the place!"

Mrs. Chichester held up an open telegram. "Mr. Hawkes telegraphs he will call tomorrow for his first report. What can I tell him?"

"What will you?" asked Alaric. "Am I to tell him that every tutor I've engaged for her resigned? Not one stays more than a week. Can I tell him that?"

"You could, mater, dear, but would it be wise?"

A moment later Peg entered with Michael cradled in her arms. She had a roguish look of triumph in her eyes. Down the front of her charming new dress were the marks of Michael's muddy paws. Peg was also breathing quickly and evidently more than a little excited.

"Take that animal out of the room!" cried Mrs. Chichester indignantly the moment Peg appeared.

Peg turned and walked straight out into the garden and began playing with Michael on the grass.

Mrs. Chichester waited for a few moments, then called out to her, "Margaret!" Then more sharply: "Margaret, come here! Do you hear me?"

Peg went on playing with Michael and just answered, "I hear ye."

"Come here at once!"

"An Michael come in, too!" came from the garden.

"You come in and leave that brute outside!"

"If Michael can't come in I don't want to!" obstinately insisted Peg. "As I tell you. 'Come here!' commanded her aunt."

Peg fled Michael to one of the French windows and then went slowly into the room and stood facing her aunt.

Mrs. Chichester looked at the flushed face of the young girl, at the mass of curly hair that had been carefully dressed by Bennett for dinner and was now hovering around her eyes untidily. The old lady straightened it.

"Can you not keep your hair out of your eyes? What do you think will become of you?"

"I hope to go to heaven, like all good people," said Peg.

Mrs. Chichester turned away with a gesture of despair.

"What is it?" continued the old lady. "I say what is it?"

"What is what?" asked Peg. "Is it that you don't wish to improve? Is it that?"

"I'll tell you what I think it is," began Peg helpfully, as if anxious to reach some satisfactory explanation. "I think there's a little devil in me lying there, an' every now an' again he jumps out."

"A devil?" cried Mrs. Chichester, horrified.

"Yes, aunt," said Peg demurely. "How dare you use such a word to me?"

"I didn't. I used it about myself. I don't know whether you have a devil in ye or not. I think I have."

Mrs. Chichester silenced her with a gesture: "Tomorrow I am to give Mr. Hawkes my first report on you."

Peg laughed suddenly and then checked herself quickly.

"And why did you do that?" asked her aunt severely.

"I had a picture of what ye're going to tell him."

"Why do you constantly disobey me?" pursued the old lady.

"I suppose it is the original sin in me," replied Peg thoughtfully.

"What?" cried Mrs. Chichester, again taken completely aback.

"Oh, I say, you know! That's good! Ha!" And Alaric laughed heartily. Peg

joined in and laughed heartily with him. Alaric immediately stopped.

Ethel took absolutely no notice of any one.

Peg sat down beside her aunt and explained to her: "Whenever I did anything willful or disturbin' as a child me father always said it was the 'original sin' in me an' that I wasn't to be punished for it because I couldn't help it."

"Then he used to punish himself for my fault. An' when I saw it hurt him I want to do it again—for awhile at least. I think that was a grand way to bring up a daughter. I've been wonderin' since I've been here if an aunt could bring a niece up the same way." And she looked quizzically at Mrs. Chichester.

Jarvis came in with a letter on a salver.

"Well," asked the old lady. "For Miss Chichester, madam." And he handed Ethel the letter. "By hand, miss."

Ethel took the letter quite unconsciously and opened it.

"Who is it from?" asked Mrs. Chichester.

"Mr. Brent," replied Ethel indifferently.

"Brent?" cried Alaric. "What on earth does he write to you for?"

"He wants me to do something for him." And she tore the letter up into the smallest pieces and placed them in a receptacle on the desk.

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WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT CANCER.

ITS LOCAL BEGINNING.

Cancer is almost invariably at first a local disease.

It is easily cured if promptly recognized and at once removed by competent treatment.

It is practically always incurable in its later stages.

THE DANGER SIGNS.

The disease usually begins in some unhealthy spot or some point of local irritation.

In external cancer there is something to be seen or felt, such as a wart, a mole, a lump or scab, or an unhealed wound or sore. Pain is rarely present.

Cancer inside the body is often recognized by symptoms before a lump can be seen or felt. Persistent indigestion, with loss of weight and change of color, is always especially suspicious.

Persistent abnormal discharge from any part of the body should arouse the suspicion of cancer, particularly if the discharge is bloody.

The early and hopeful stages of cancer are usually painless.

Fear the beginning of cancer. Never be afraid to know the truth. Any painless lump or sore appearing upon your body should be examined by your physician.

By the time a cancer has become painful the best chance for its cure has passed.

But even a painful cancer can be removed permanently if it has not extended too far beyond the place where it began.

SEEK EARLY EXAMINATION.

If you notice that a wart, mole or other "mark" begins to change in appearance or to show signs of irritation go to a physician and have it completely removed. Do not wait until you are sure it is cancerous.

All lumps in the breast should be examined. In women the normal change of life does not lead to increased flowing, which is always suspicious, as is the return of flowing after it has stopped.

MEDICINE USELESS.

Medicine which relieves pain does not have any effect upon the disease itself; it simply produces a period of freedom from discomfort and therefore delays the proper treatment.

LIMITATIONS OF RADIUM.

According to the most authoritative opinion the curative effects of radium are practically limited today to superficial cancers of the skin, and to superficial growths of mucous membranes and certain deeper lying tumors of bone, etc., which are not very malignant. Radium has probably been shown to exert a definite curative effect on certain of these cases, while the disease is still local and in the early stages.

Radium definitely relieves suffering when used in the advanced stages of deep-seated cancers; but in those cases it improves only the visible or tangible manifestations and exerts no effect upon the disseminated disease as a whole. It is believed that there is as yet no proof that radium has finally cured any case of advanced and disseminated cancer.

RADIUM FAKES.

The public should take warning against dishonest and fake, money-getting radium cure establishments conducted by individuals who possess little or no radium, and have no knowledge of its use. These people promise cures, but are, in reality, unable to obtain even those palliative effects which are possible from radium.

The best results of radium therapy can be secured only when comparatively large amounts are available for use and the present limited world's supply of this metal places it out of reach of the great majority of patients.

A MENACE TO THE INDIVIDUAL.

Cancer is of greater frequency at ages over forty than tuberculosis, pneumonia, typhoid fever, or digestive diseases.

At ages over forty one person in eleven dies of cancer.

One woman in eight and one man in fourteen over forty years of age is attacked by the disease with fatal results.

Largely because of public ignorance and neglect cancer now proves fatal in over 90 per cent of the attacks.

A MENACE TO THE NATION.

Of the 75,000 deaths from this disease in the United States in 1913, about 20,000 were deaths from cancer of the stomach and liver, 12,000 from cancer of the uterus and other organs of generation, 7,500 from cancer of the breast, and about 25,500 from cancer of other organs and parts.

A MENACE TO SOCIETY.

BOYS BOYS

Here is Your Chance to Get a High Grade BICYCLE FREE!

We have made arrangements with Edward King, the Bethel agent for the Panama Bicycle, to supply us with 25 of these standard wheels which we are going to exchange with the boys for work.

Frame—23 inch; 1 inch 10 gauge tube; 3 inch head; 5 inch connections; 3 1/2 inch head fittings; 7 8 inch tapered rear forks; 3 4 inch rear stays.	Spoke—patented.	Tires—Sterling Roadster, 24 x 1 1/2 inch, guaranteed. Arrow tread.
Fork—Full enameled fork sides. Crown—One piece forged.	Hubs—New Departure Coaster brake. Front hub to match.	Saddle—Person's Bon Ton.
Cranks—Pausher Road Special, one-piece.	Rims—Enameled aluminum.	Pedals—No. 105.
	Chain—3 1/2 inch roller, 1 inch pitch.	Bar—No. 3, adjustable, forward extension with wound leather grips.
	Finish—Indian Red with two fine black stripes.	Guards—Steel, front and rear.
		Stand—Steel, enameled to match.

500 POINTS WINS A BICYCLE and all that is required is a little work in some of your spare time.

HOW POINTS WILL COUNT

For one New yearly subscription to the Citizen,	10 points
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For each dollar of advertising, cash with order,	4 points
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We will furnish subscription lists and receipts, price lists and rate cards, and help you get started.

Be the First One in Your Town to Win a Bicycle.

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MAINE STATE EXPOSITION.

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MAINE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

W. T. DUFFILL, Com.

Augusta, April 22, 1915.

The Maine Department of Agriculture is now receiving applications for the purpose of securing a license to operate a motor vehicle. It is the policy of the department to issue a license to any person who is able to operate a motor vehicle safely and who is of good character. It is the policy of the department to issue a license to any person who is able to operate a motor vehicle safely and who is of good character.

It takes a capable wife to make the home a place of comfort and joy.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

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FUND FOR ACADEMY FLOORS.

A few contributions to the floor fund have been received during the past week, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged with hearty thanks:

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EAST BETHEL.

Mr. Urban Bartlett is at home from business college for the summer. After a two weeks vacation Miss Elsie Bartlett has returned to her school at Hastings, Me.

Mrs. Lizzie Torrey of Boston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Holt. Miss Alice Kimball recently visited her sister, Mrs. John H. Rowe and family.

Mr. J. L. Fildell spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Hastings. Miss Gertrude Adams is visiting friends at Middle Intervale.

Mr. Fredholm Bean has recently purchased a young driving horse. Robert and William Hastings will attend the Boys' Conference at Norway, April 29 and May 2.

Russell Bean attended the group meeting of instruction, given by State Master C. B. Stearns at Norway, the 2nd.

SONGO POND.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Kallala and family, Lima, spent Sunday at the Songo Pond.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilbur and children visited at Frank Emery's, Saturday and Sunday.

School commenced Monday, April 20. Mrs. Rosa George of Bethel's Mills is teacher. She is teaching with Mrs. Mildred Clough.

John and Charles Reed of New York City, "let," and away, Bethel. There will be a dance at Albion Town Hall, Saturday night, May 1.

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Barber's supply conversation at cut rates.

WEST BETHEL.

Archie Hutchins has moved to the place known as the Albion Mass place.

Francis Mills has returned from South Carolina, where he spent the winter.

Mrs. Arthur Brown from Auburn is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Nahum Scribner.

Moses Davis has moved to Middle Intervale.

Thomas Vachow has finished during the Mason brook for the Hastings brothers, getting the timber all cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield from Bethel have moved to the place known as the John Rollins place.

E. P. Callahan from Bethel was in school, Tuesday.

Mrs. Guy Morgan is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Swift, in the moving to Hiram, where they have a home.

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By J. E. Jones

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